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1. United States Patent No. 5,664,948, issued to Dimitriadis, et al., dated September 9, 1997;
2. United States Patent No. 5,565,909, issued to Thibadeau, et al., dated October 15, 1996; and

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3. United States Patent No. 5,036,537, issued to Jeffers, et al., dated July 30, 1991.

The references were cited in a Search Report received from the European Patent Office, dated June 25, 2003. Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with a copy of the Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

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